

**FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION
MARCH 2008**

State/County	Current Month			Fiscal Year (July 2007 To Date)		
				Monthly Average		Total Benefits
	Households	Persons	Benefits	Households	Persons	
State Total	252,625	582,272	\$58,121,150	245,313	569,233	\$504,457,733
Abbeville	1,665	3,396	336,416	1,624	3,340	2,945,922
Aiken	8,168	19,842	2,000,469	8,042	19,621	17,640,969
Allendale	1,313	3,078	308,269	1,306	3,071	2,744,460
Anderson	10,158	23,952	2,411,080	9,902	23,562	21,058,868
Bamberg	1,645	3,492	340,111	1,621	3,503	3,033,500
Barnwell	2,193	5,120	525,214	2,150	5,022	4,541,315
Beaufort	4,291	10,523	1,039,020	4,144	10,272	9,075,155
Berkeley	6,955	16,787	1,674,741	6,649	16,281	14,326,049
Calhoun	1,008	2,193	211,937	1,015	2,207	1,930,895
Charleston	14,535	32,883	3,179,338	14,124	32,407	27,689,422
Cherokee	4,613	10,579	1,101,108	4,505	10,395	9,671,823
Chester	3,279	7,213	757,833	3,166	6,999	6,444,029
Chesterfield	3,997	9,078	900,919	3,953	9,026	7,950,735
Clarendon	3,893	8,369	812,684	3,832	8,350	7,171,433
Colleton	3,528	8,176	769,300	3,452	8,058	6,727,294
Darlington	6,474	14,719	1,435,489	6,451	14,878	12,833,122
Dillon	3,027	7,334	678,617	2,973	7,276	5,978,889
Dorchester	4,724	11,623	1,148,038	4,594	11,233	9,890,669
Edgefield	1,746	3,968	386,654	1,710	3,906	3,375,897
Fairfield	2,344	4,938	502,392	2,311	4,887	4,504,423
Florence	10,964	25,981	2,567,572	10,607	25,295	22,303,569
Georgetown	4,443	10,271	1,017,781	4,253	9,913	8,699,360
Greenville	19,176	43,492	4,406,443	18,715	42,597	38,542,614
Greenwood	4,591	10,430	1,071,444	4,460	10,159	9,306,652
Hampton	1,750	4,348	414,261	1,698	4,227	3,507,304
Horry	14,051	31,797	3,256,986	12,861	29,380	26,408,734
Jasper	1,837	4,339	448,667	1,764	4,240	3,887,025
Kershaw	3,163	7,556	726,140	2,952	7,087	6,022,208
Lancaster	5,275	12,104	1,301,363	5,018	11,606	11,060,803
Laurens	4,450	10,347	1,048,878	4,353	10,180	9,090,101
Lee	2,539	5,648	541,961	2,502	5,596	4,810,999
Lexington	8,984	22,386	2,289,793	8,610	21,689	19,657,211
McCormick	845	1,603	162,458	827	1,599	1,431,805
Marion	3,897	8,369	788,782	3,941	8,476	7,154,508
Marlboro	2,768	6,002	571,969	2,740	5,988	5,064,384
Newberry	2,465	5,317	525,165	2,438	5,252	4,615,253
Oconee	3,219	7,826	744,017	3,104	7,561	6,340,100
Orangeburg	10,318	22,141	2,230,091	10,282	22,105	19,964,286
Pickens	4,232	10,134	939,979	4,151	10,007	8,335,164
Richland	17,976	41,726	4,371,973	17,212	40,391	37,697,587
Saluda	1,338	2,812	272,065	1,317	2,785	2,402,710
Spartanburg	10,356	24,335	2,264,260	10,136	23,798	19,555,127
Sumter	8,876	20,496	2,029,603	8,649	20,094	17,605,411
Union	2,103	4,355	421,312	2,116	4,427	3,850,025
Williamsburg	4,377	9,423	892,262	4,315	9,382	7,869,905
York	9,076	21,771	2,296,296	8,769	21,103	19,740,019

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